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OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET  
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August 27, 1985

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Honorable William J. Casey  
Director  
Central Intelligence Agency  
Washington, D.C. 20505

Dear Mr. Casey:

Enclosed is a proposed Executive order entitled "Suspension of Entry as Non-Immigrants by Officials and Employees of the Government of Cuba and the Communist Party of Cuba."

In accordance with the provisions of Executive Order No. 11030, as amended, it was submitted to this office, along with the enclosed transmittal memorandum, by the Department of State.

On behalf of the Director of the Office of Management and Budget, I would appreciate receiving any comments you may have concerning this proposal. If you have any comments or objections they should be received no later than Tuesday, September 3, 1985.

Comments or inquiries may be submitted by telephone to Mr. John F. Cooney of this office (395-5600).

Sincerely,

*John F. Cooney*  
Michael J. Horowitz  
Counsel to the Director

Enclosure



United States Department of State

Washington, D.C. 20520

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MEMORANDUM FOR DR. ALTON KEEL  
OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET

SUBJECT: Draft Presidential Proclamation Suspending the Entry  
of Cuban Officials into the United States as  
Nonimmigrants

Attached for interagency approval is a draft Presidential Proclamation that would suspend the entry into the United States of officers and employees of the Government of Cuba and the Communist Party of Cuba, except those who are on official travel to the Cuban Interests Section in Washington or the Cuban Mission to the United Nations in New York. The proclamation would give us the discretion to permit entry of Cuban officials when that is determined to be appropriate. The President is granted the authority to issue such a proclamation under Section 212(f) of the Immigration and Nationality Act.

Cuba places considerable importance on the travel of its officials to the United States for acquisition of technology, business development and quasi-intelligence purposes. Such travel is inconsistent with our embargo of all transactions with Cuba. The proposed proclamation would make it less cumbersome for us to deal with this problem.

In addition it would be an appropriate and timely response to the Cuban government's recent suspension of family visitation travel to Cuba by Cuban-Americans. It has been recommended by the Cuban-American Foundation and should be welcomed by most Cuban-Americans. The opposition to the measure by persons opposed to travel restrictions would be mitigated by their awareness that it is aimed solely at Cuba's Communist Party and government officials and follows closely upon Cuba's suspension of normal migration procedures under a bilateral agreement that had facilitated travel and migration by ordinary Cubans and Cuban-Americans.

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We request that OMB prepare this proclamation for the required interagency clearance procedures and final submission to the President. This document has already been reviewed by Justice, INS and the NSC. We hope, therefore, that the legal formalities may be completed quickly. We would like to implement the proposed change in our visa policy concerning the admission of Cuban officials to the United States as soon as possible. Mr. Michael G. Kozak, Deputy Legal Advisor, will be pleased to answer any legal questions which may arise during the clearance process. (Tel: 632-5036). Other questions may be directed to Mr. Kenneth N. Skoug, Jr., Director of the Office of Cuban Affairs (Tel: 632-9272).

Nicholas Platt  
Executive Secretary

Attachment: Draft Presidential Proclamation Suspending  
Nonimmigrant Entry of Cuban Officials into the  
United States

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PROCLAMATION NO. \_\_\_\_\_

SUSPENSION OF ENTRY AS NONIMMIGRANTS BY  
OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES OF THE GOVERNMENT  
OF CUBA OR THE COMMUNIST PARTY OF CUBA

In light of the current state of relations between the United States and Cuba, including the May 20, 1985, statement that the Government of Cuba had decided "to suspend all types of procedures regarding the execution" of December 14, 1984, immigration agreement between the United States and Cuba, thereby disrupting normal migration procedures between the two countries, I have determined that it is in the interest of the United States to impose certain restrictions in entry into the United States of officers and employees of the Government of Cuba and the Communist Party of Cuba.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, RONALD REAGAN, President of the United States of America, by the authority vested in me as President by the Constitution and statutes of the United States of America, including section 212(f) of the Immigration and Nationality Act of 1952, as amended (8 U.S.C. 1182(f)), having found that the unrestricted entry of officers or employees of the Government of Cuba or the Communist Party of Cuba into the United States would, except as provided in Section 2, be detrimental to the interests of the United States, do proclaim that:

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Section 1. Entry of following classes of Cuban nationals as nonimmigrants is hereby suspended: (a) officers or employees of the Government of Cuba or the Communist Party of Cuba holding diplomatic or official passports; (b) individuals who, notwithstanding the type of passport that they hold, are considered by the Secretary of State or his designee to be officers or employees of the Government of Cuba or the Communist Party of Cuba.

Section 2. The suspension of entry as nonimmigrants contained in Section 1 shall not apply (a) to officers and employees of the Government of Cuba or the Communist Party of Cuba for the exclusive purpose of conducting official business at the Cuban Interests Section in Washington or at the Cuban Mission to the United Nations in New York; or (b) in such other cases or categories of cases as may be designated from time to time by the Secretary of State or his designee.

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